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BARBOURVILLE, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, JULY 24, 1908.

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WATER WORKS

May Yet be Established Here If Citizens Want It.

Vote on Proposition to be Submitted to the People at an Early Date

WILL NOT INCREASE TAXES.

We are informed that there is a possibility of securing a water works for our city at an early date provided the people are willing that our town shall have such a luxury as this would be, should it be installed.

The Lexington gentlemen who were here a few days ago, propose to put in a plant here, provided the city would take at least thirty fire plugs at the rate of \$40 each per year.

The Council is willing to contract with them but before they act they want the endorsement and approval of the people they represent.

It will not increase the taxes one penny but it will authorize the Council to contract with the company for a period of twenty years to pay for water out of the revenue that is now being collected annually.

We believe there is not a voter in the town who would oppose a proposition like this and we are anxious to see the proposition submitted for a vote.

With a water works installed here our town would take on new life; new enterprises would come in and start here; factories would be located here, and hundreds who are now out of employment would be given work at good wages; building would take on a boom and every one would be benefitted; but until we can have water works we will never see much improvement in our town.

See the Mayor and urge upon him to call an election to vote upon the water works and let's start the ball rolling.

With the twentieth century comes the actual beginning of a revolution in social affairs. There have been threats of reform and change in many social customs, and it has been on the tapis many times to do away with several exceedingly foolish and awkward ceremonies in vogue between the refined members of what is gracefully called society. And there has been no habit more senseless than that of removing his hat upon every meeting with a female acquaintance. Heaven only knows where such a stupid and such an awkward act received its origin. (Amen! says the bald-headed man.) It has arbitrarily controlled the men and was supposed to rank as a mark of the gentleman for as many years back as history extends, despite the colds it has caused and the men it has hustled into their graves. So now it is said we are to do away with this sort of thing and the sensible and simple substitute that prevails in oriental countries is to be adopted. That mole consists in placing the hand over the heart and bending the head slightly forward so as to make a noticeable but not extravagant obeisance. Progress has been made in this reform to such an extent that most gentlemen now just touch the brim of the hat, a la militaire, when meeting a lady, and it is accepted as good form.

Quarterly Court was in session Monday and Tuesday of this week.

CONTEST SETTLED

And Gilliam Given Seat Claimed by Byrley.

The contest over the Chairmanship of Knox county was tried last week at Louisville before the State Central Committee and by a vote of 7 to 6 voted to seat J. A. Gilliam instead of W. W. Byrley.

Robert Winn, Chairman of the State Central Committee opposed the action of the committee and declared that it was robbery, but the plans were laid to take the office from Byrley and they did so regardless of right, and declared Gilliam to be the Chairman of Knox county.

Mr. Gilliam, the new chairman, is a resident of Corbin, and is a Republican of the old school, he has been a member of the County Committee for several years and was re-elected as the committeeman from the Corbin precinct last Spring. He stands well with the party and no one can say anything against him, the only question arose as to whether he or Byrley had received a majority of the County Committee.

We wish for Mr. Gilliam success as leader of the party in Knox county, and hope that he may be as successful in building up the party and in getting out the vote as Mr. Byrley has been in the past. The honor that has come to him is one that might be appreciated and we hope that he may prove himself in every way worthy of the place and position to which he has been elevated.

We believe that he will do his duty faithfully and has the support of the members of the committee he will make a good and faithful chairman.

\$3.60

School Per Capita For En-suing Year.

(Special to Mountain Advocate.)

Frankfort, Ky., July 22.—State Superintendent J. G. Crabbe today declared a school per capita for the ensuing year of \$3.60, the largest in the history of the State. It is estimated there will be \$2,661,667.20 to the credit of the school fund.

Morris & Mitchell are putting down a concrete walk around the First Methodist church, from the Sunday-school entrance and connecting it with the walk leading from the main entrance and from there to the street. This will be a great improvement. The Ladies Aid and the Epworth League are having the work done.

S. T. Davidson is arranging to move his business house on Knox street, back on a line with the other buildings which will help the appearance very much. For years this building has stood out about five feet in front of the adjoining building and was unsightly. We are glad to note this change.

The Civic League has made flower beds and planted flowers in the courthouse yard which will make a great improvement to the place and add much to the appearance. Let the good work go on. The League is doing a great work and every one should encourage them.

The public well continues to grow more popular as the days go by, until now there is scarcely a family in the entire city who does not visit this popular well at least once each day to partake of the water.

LECTURE

At the Court-house To-night in Interest of Education.

Rev. James Bond, D. D., and a trustee of Berea College, and financial agent of that institution, will deliver, an address upon "Progress of the Negro Race," and will speak of the proposed plans of Berea for the colored people of the State.

All friends of Education and of the Negro are cordially invited to come out and hear Dr. Bond, as he is a native of Knoxville, raised on Richland, and feeling the importance of an education walked across the country seventy-five miles to Berea in 1879 where he matriculated as a student, and has been connected with that institution continuously since in some form.

He will describe the progress of his race, and tell you of the great work Berea college is planning for the colored people of Kentucky.

The general public is invited to attend, and many of the most prominent citizens have promised to be there.

Come out and hear the lecture any way, as it will be free.

MAT HALE.

Candidate for Circuit Court Clerk.



NOTICE.

To the People of Knox County:

I wish to state that while I am engaged in teaching this fall, I expect to see you before the primary election which will be held sometime during the year 1909. I am in the race for Circuit Court Clerk, and ask your support and influence.

Respectfully Yours,
Mat Hale.

Give Us Some Factories.

Now that we are about to secure a water works it would be well to begin in earnest to secure some factories for our town.

We have urged this matter time and again, but as yet there has but few started and it seems that if some one would start a canning factory or an overall factory here they would prove profitable, and would induce other lines of industry.

Harold, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hudson, was accidentally burned Tuesday afternoon about the face, by getting hold of a bottle of carbolic acid. A physician was called and the pain soon allayed.

Uncle Tony Dooney has been on the sick list for the past few days and is not improving much at this writing.

Roasting ears and ripe tomatoes are on the market, and we printers are happy.

Base ball is on the wane.

Fried chickens are getting ripe.

CIVIC LEAGUE

Held Interesting Meeting This Week.

The Civic League met Wednesday afternoon with a large number present. Various questions of importance were discussed, and the city council commended for their gracious reception and their effort to carry out some of the things asked for.

Attention was called to the fact, that the street cleaning law had not been enforced throughout the town. Expecting that the street had not been stopped, no response had come as to the possibility of having a dumping ground. The League has been invited for further conference with the Fiscal Court to whom they are most gratefully indebted for flowers planted on the square.

The ladies will please bring their geraniums to the court-house this afternoon, but will not meet with the Fiscal Court until the following Friday, July 31.

The Festive Cucumber.

You know this is the time of year when the death-dealing cucumber is abroad in the land seeking whom it may double up and make sad. It found a victim in the person of certain Adjutant of a prominent G. A. R. post, and who by the way is an expert gardener himself. When the Adjutant went home to dinner the other day he was both tired and hungry, with an appetite like a self-binder, and when he sits down to the table and sees before him the first cucumbers of the season he can hardly wait until he gets a quantity stored away under his belt. Under this bolt said cucumbers quietly lay in wait until the eater has gone to sleep for the night. Then they got up on their feet, unbutton their vests, roll back their sleeves and proceed to business. At the first attack the old Adjutant sees the battles of the late rebellion, he hears the bugle's call to arms. He leaps forward, but he falls back in a heap upon the bed, thinking that a Johnny Reb had snuck him over the head with a musket, but the cucumbers rapidly got warmed up and the victim's agonies increase. The Adjutant's dreams become more picturesque and he begins to snort and feels things like monkeys and goblins dancing the Highland fling on his abdomen. The dancers gradually enter into the sport with more zest and reinforcements keep on arriving. Things got desperate and Mrs. B. and W. were telephoned for and instructed to bring their full-grown stomach pumps. At last, along about daybreak, the local militia, the Barbourville fire department and the Red Men's Band appear upon and join in the terpsichorean exercises. When the valiant old Adjutant awoke the next morning the first thing he did was to feel of his stomach to see if it is still there. He found it, also the cucumbers which the night before sat up and smiled so innocently at him. There are lots of people who are harvested before they are ripe simply because they absorb more cucumbers into their anatomy than their digestive apparatus can cope with, and will surely cause them to see many tetragnons of various color.

Under the local option act of 1906, it is made unlawful for one to carry intoxicants into local option territory for another and it was therefore unlawful for Newley to carry liquor for the plaintiff, and the engagement entered into by the plaintiff and said Newley was in violation of law and those taking part in it can not now invoke the law for their protection. Further, the Police having directed that said liquors be held as evidence renders impossible for the plaintiff to make out his case under the code provision requiring the plaintiff to show that the property was not taken under any order or judgment of the court. No quantity of liquor, no matter how small, can be carried by one for another into local option territory, and no person for himself is permitted to carry a greater quantity than one gallon. Newley violated the law, and the plaintiff is attempting to take advantage of his arrangement made in violation of law with Newley in order to procure the liquor paid for with his money. This the law will not permit him to do.

It is therefore adjudged by the Court that the plaintiff has not shown himself entitled to the relief sought; that a Police officer coming in possession of liquors as shown by the facts in this case can not be divested of the possession in this sort of proceeding. The application is dismissed and the defendants will recover of the plaintiff their costs herein expended.

LIQUOR CAPTURED

And Held by the Chief of Police.

Last Friday G. J. Faulkner sent Van Newley, a colored man of this city, to Middlesboro for liquor, and upon his arrival at the depot on his return trip he was arrested and the liquor taken from him, whereupon Faulkner swore out a warrant of delivery in the Knox Quarterly Court Wednesday to try to secure his liquor, and Judge Sampson, after hearing the evidence in the case handed down the following written opinion:

In this case the plaintiff seeks to recover from the defendants, I. H. Ballard, Judge of the Barbourville Police Court, W. H. McDonald, Chief of Police, and Foster Perry, Special Police, the possession of a quantity of beer and whisky, taken and held by the defendants as officers from the plaintiff, Faulkner. The evidence shows that the plaintiff furnished money to one Van Newley, and directed him to go to the city of Middlesboro and there procure three dozen pints of beer and two quarts of whisky and carry it to Barbourville for the plaintiff, and that said Newley in following said instructions was arrested in the city of Barbourville carrying said liquors with avowed purpose of delivering same to plaintiff. It is further shown that the Police Court upon the calling of the case against Newley for carrying said liquor into local option territory directed that said liquors be held as evidence on said trials and said trial has not yet been had.

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F. D. Sampson,
Judge Knox Quarterly Court.

Wanted—Live minks and live black polecats. I will pay more for them than you can get for the furs. When you bring them in and say you saw this notice in The Mountain Advocate you will get your money.

Apply to,
W. M. TYE.

REPORT

Of the Condition of the First National Bank at Barbourville in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business, July 15, 1908.

No. 6262.

RESOURCES.
Loans and Discounts.....\$106,116.66
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....112.98
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....15,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....500.00
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures.....6,500.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....5,000.00
Due from approved reserved agents.....33,828.95
Checks and other cash items.....751.19
Notes of other National Banks.....880.00
Fractional paper currency, nickles, and cents.....83.44
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVED IN BANK, VIZ:
Specie.....9,900.65
Legal-tender notes.....600.00 10,509.65
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....750.00
Total.....180,032.87

LIABILITIES.
Capital stock paid in.....25,000.00
Surplus fund.....10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....750.80
National bank notes outstanding.....15,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....116,345.17
Demand certificates of deposit.....1,036.90
Time certificates of deposit.....11,900.00
Total.....180,032.87

STATE OF KENTUCKY, ss.

COUNTY OF KNOX,

I, Robert W. Cole, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROBERT W. COLE, Cashier.

CORRECT-Attest:

J. M. ROBINSON, }
F. D. SAMPSON, } Directors.
F. R. BARNER, }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of July 1908.

JAMES M. WILSON,
Notary Public.

NOTICE.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Kentucky—In Bankruptcy.
In the matter of Thomas G. Scarce a Bankrupt.

On this 10th day of July, A. D., 1908, on considering the position of the aforesaid bankrupt for discharge, filed on the 10th day of July A. D., 1908, it is ordered by the court that a hearing be had upon the same on the 28, July A. D., 1908, before said court at Covington, in said district, at 10 o'clock, in the forenoon, or as near thereto as practicable, and that notice thereof be published in The Mountain Advocate, a newspaper printed in the district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.

(Seal.) Witness the Hon. A. M. J. Cochran, Judge of said Court, and the seal thereof, at London, in said district, on the 10th day of July A. D., 1908.

Joseph C. Finnell, Clerk
By Geo. C. Moore, D. C.

A traveling man who comes often, says there is more snuff used here than there is in Ireland. The Civic League should investigate.

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PERSONALS
Around Town

W. E. Gibson, of Grays, was in town Tuesday.

Frank Drizney, of Grays, was in town Tuesday.

W. W. Tinsley left Wednesday for the Stanford fair.

Wiley Kuns is visiting relatives at Richmond this week.

Judge Sampson made a business trip to Knoxville Wednesday.

Miss Lila Hays has begun teaching the Hammons' Fork school.

Thos. E. Smith has returned from delightful visit down on Goose creek.

Mrs. W. H. McDonald has been visiting in Middlesboro this week.

Mrs. J. D. Tuggle spent last Friday in our neighboring city of Corbin.

Miss Mayo Tinsley left Sunday for French Lick Springs for a few days.

Brite Williamson, one of the many candidates for jailer, gave us a call Tuesday.

Miss Ellen Clark left last Friday for a month's visit to relatives in the Bluegrass.

Miss Mary Stansbery is visiting Miss Mary Hammons on Hammons Ford this week.

Miss Jessie Dickinson left last Friday for Pittsburg, Pa., and will be absent several weeks.

J. T. Gambrel and J. N. Lester, of Dewitt, gave our office a pleasant call Tuesday morning.

Bradley Ashley left last Saturday for Casey county, and will be absent for perhaps two weeks.

S. H. Hale came in Monday evening from Knoxville on a business trip. He is looking quite well.

Alex Tinsley has been busily engaged for the past few days advertising for the Knox county fair.

A. M. Offutt, of Corbin, was a visitor in our town Tuesday and paid this office a pleasant call.

A. H. Moore returned Monday from an extended trip through the State in the interest of insurance.

W. M. Tye attended the Crab Orchard fair last week and reports a good time and plenty of attractions.

J. R. Jones and sons, Louis and Willie, were in Corbin Friday loading cattle to be shipped to the Bluegrass.

John M. Tinsley made a flying business trip to Williamsburg last Monday, returning home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. J. Frank Hawn and little son, who have been at Clear Creek Springs for the past month, have returned home.

Mr. A. B. Gilbert, of Louisville, was the pleasant guest of his brother, Attorney J. M. Gilbert, several days last week.

Miss Mabel Matthews left last Sunday afternoon for a few days visit to her sister, Mrs. J. M. Messer, in Middlesboro.

B. E. Parker left Sunday to join his wife at Ashville, N. C., where she has been for the past few weeks, seeking health.

Miss Fannie Watson, of Highland Park, Louisville, is the guest of Rev. and Mrs. Arvin, of this city, for a couple of weeks visit.

Wm. B. Hudson, and family of Knoxville, visited his mother and brother, W. S. Hudson, in this city the first part of the week.

Mrs. A. C. Hall arrived here last Thursday evening from Oklahoma to visit her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. M. Brafton, of this city.

Lynn Golden and wife returned Monday evening from a very pleasant trip through the Bluegrass where they spent about two weeks visiting relatives.

W. W. Byley is on the sick list this week.

Bon Patton, a well-known colored boy about town, is very ill.

H. C. Black has gone to French Lick Springs, for a ten days rest.

J. L. Dwell left yesterday morning for Liberty, Casey county on a business trip.

Miss Nell Lane and Mrs. Maggie Messamore returned home today from a visit to Knoxville.

S. H. Jones left Friday Mt. Sterling with a carload of cattle for the court day market.

W. H. McDonald was initiated into the mysteries of the Owls at Middlesboro last Wednesday night.

D. A. C. Fellows returned home Wednesday morning after a two weeks visit to his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Black, in this city.

Rev. John Hudson and family arrived Wednesday from Victoria, Texas, and will spend about a month visiting his mother and other relatives here.

J. W. Croley, of Bryant's Store, was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday and renewed his subscription for the Advocate, for which we extend thanks.

Prof. J. P. Faulkner, wife and little daughter, arrived last Friday afternoon from Boston. Prof. Faulkner will be connected with Berea College during the next term.

Rev. John B. Hudson of Victoria, Texas, will preach at the Union services in the First Methodist Church Sunday night, July 26. The public is cordially invited to be present.

A. N. Herndon returned Sunday afternoon from Colorado where he had been for the past two months for his health. He is greatly improved and reports a splendid trip.

Miss Ruth Decker left last Tuesday in company with agent, Mrs. Colson, who has been visiting the family for some days. Miss Ruth will spend two weeks with her aunt in Virginia.

Misses Drusilla, Jewel and Lillie Dale, the bright little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Tye, who have been suffering with whooping cough the past few days, are improving nicely, we are glad to say.

J. H. Sowders, of Coalport, paid this office a pleasant call last Saturday and left an order of printing for his new coal company, the "Mountain Rock." He is preparing to mine and ship Blue Gem and Jellico coal from Artemus this year.

The many friends of Joseph Berry are glad to know that he has returned from Louisville, where he had been the past ten weeks for medical treatment. It is only a question of a short time when he will be restored to his former good health.

Hon. James J. Yaden, of London, was a pleasant caller at this office last Wednesday. Mr. Yaden is Professor of the Normal Department of Sue Bennett College, at London, and is now in the field in the interest of that school. He formerly represented Laurel and Kockcastle counties in the Legislature and is an honored and respected gentleman.

LOCAL LOOM.

Ripe tomatoes are now on the market.

Next Monday will be County Court day.

Get your candidate cards printed at this office.

FOR SALE.—A fine, fat two-year-old heifer. Apply to Mollie Drake, Manchester Street.

Mrs. James Henshull has purchased a house and lot on Pine street from Col. John G. Matthews.

The Union services will be held at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening, and Rev. Neilhof, of the Presbyterian church, will preach.

A capula has been added to the Administration building to receive the bell which adds to the appearance of the building.

This office has just printed the catalogues for the Baptist Institute, and the work is a very creditable job and gave satisfaction as our work always does.

The new hotel will be almost ready for the second floor joists by the end of this week and it is indeed a thing of beauty, and is admired by all who see it.

There has been a considerable lot of drinking in Barbourville lately. It is water from the public well, however, that is being imbibed. Try it yourself, and go your way rejoicing, it is good for all ills that man is heir to.

Hog Taken Up.

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CHURCH NOTICE.

First M. E. Church, John D. Hitechock, Pastor. Public service each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Sunday School, 9.45 a. m. Epworth League, 6.15 p. m. Junior League, 2.30 p. m. Choir Practice, Thursday, 3.30 p. m. Boy's Chorus Choir, Tuesday, 4.00 p. m. Prayer Meeting, Thurs., 7.00 p. m.

CHURCH NOTICE.

The Cumberland River Baptist Church, corner Maig and Pine St., Barbourville, Ky., is holding regular services each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday School, 9.30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7 p. m. Young People's Union, meets at 2.30 p. m. each Sunday. The public are cordially invited.

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A number of exceptional opportunities are now being offered by the Government for enterprising and intelligent farmers to secure choice farms on a dozen or more large irrigation projects which are nearing completion.

Owing to the rapid narrowing of the limits of the unoccupied public domain, it is doubtful if these opportunities will ever occur again. It is probable, therefore, that the West will see one of the greatest influxes of homeseekers in 1908 that has been witnessed in many years.

The great fertility and wonderful crop yields from irrigated lands, and the favorable terms the Government offers settlers, warrants the belief that before the year closes not a single farm will be without its entryman. These farms are located in North Dakota, Montana, Wyoming and Nevada.

Letters addressed to The Statistician, U. S. Reclamation Service, Washington, D. C., will secure full information concerning the location, soil, climate, crop possibilities, and terms of disposal.

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THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

Pleasant Evening Reveries.—A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as They Join the Home Circle at Evening Tide.—Grief Thoughts from the Editorial Pen.

TOMORROW'S SORROW.

There is very little trouble
That happens today;
It's the sorrows of tomorrow
That drive our joys away.

We sometimes sit and wonder
And stew and fume and fret
For fear something may happen,
But it hasn't happened yet.
There was once a lonely woman
Who cried down by the sea;
"What if my pretty children
All should perish be!"

Now that this particular woman
Who thus did cry and fret,
Is still a maiden lady,
So it hasn't happened yet.

HOW TO TELL HER AGE.

Girls of a marriageable age do not like to tell how old they are, but can find out by the following subjoined instructions, the young lady doing the figuring: Tell her to put down the number of the month in which she was born, then multiply it by 2, then add 5, then to multiply by 50, then to add 5, then to subtract 365, then to add 155, then tell her to tell you the amount she has left. The two figures to the right will tell you her age and the remainder the month of her birth. For example, if the amount is 822, she twenty-two years old and she was born in the eighth month (August.) Try it.

The need of some place to drop down for a moment and forget things is a crying one in most homes. There ought to be enough sofas around to accommodate all the family. Five minutes rest will prevent many a family row, and how can you get rest if you have to pull shades off the bed and roll up the overalls? A shabby old lounge where you can get at it is worth its weight in gold; and you won't want to die half so many times if you make use of it. The loosening of the tension for ever so few minutes may save your reason some day. Don't go out and try to walk off your worries; don't tell them to your friend, either. Just throw your self down on the sofa a little while, shut your eyes and pretend you have no care. The worries will be lighter before you realize it, your brain will be clearer and heart made stronger to meet those that press closest.

If brothers and sisters err, the world says "shun them; thus you will show that you disapprove of the act, making an example of them." Alas! how many examples we have of this mode of teaching crowding the haunts of infamy to-day. Once bright young lives, over pure lips and innocent brows mothers watched in all tenderness; but the trembling feet took one false step, and so we thrust them out of our hearts, out of our churches, and would even thrust them out of heaven. Is it right, is it just, is it Christ-like?

ADVICE TO AN ENGAGED MAN.

If you think that woman is any weaker minded than a man, stop where you are.

If you intend to treat yourself any better than your wife, don't take one.

If you suppose that running the house consists of paying the bills, don't undertake it.

If you have an idea that you are too good for a pickled dinner, remain a bachelor.

If you have found it a hard task to be happy yourself, don't try to make any one happy.

If you think that a house should have only one head, and that be yours, postpone your wedding indefinitely.

If you are of the opinion that marriage makes the man and wife one, and that you are that one, send in your regrets at once.

If you are one of the men who think that ten per cent of their in-

come belongs to the tap-room, let marriage alone.

THE EVIL OF FRETTING.

There is one sin which seems to us everywhere and everybody overlooked and quite too much overlooked in valuation of character. It is the sin of fretting, so common that unless it rises above its usual monotone we do not observe it. Watch any ordinary coming together of people and see how many minutes it will be before some body frets—that is, makes more or less complaining statement of something or other, which most probably every one in the room, or in the car, or on the street corner, it may be, knew before, and which probably no one could help. Why say anything about it? It is cold, it is hot, it is wet, it is dry; somebody has broken an appointment, ill cooked a meal; stupidity or bad faith somewhere has resulted in discomfort.

There are plenty of things to fret about. It is simply astonishing how much annoyance may be found in the course of every day's living, even at the simplest, if one only keeps a sharp eye out on that side of things. Even holy writ says we are prone to trouble as sparks to fly upward. But even to the blackest of smoke there is a blue sky above, and the less time they waste on the road the sooner they will reach it. Fretting is all time wasted on the road.

A girl that is not neatly dressed is called a sloven, and no one likes to look at her. Her face may be pretty, and her eyes bright, but if there is a spot of dirt on her cheek, and her fingers' ends are black with ink, and her shoes not laced or buttoned up, and her apron is dirty, and her collar not buttoned, and her skirts torn, she cannot be liked. Learn to be neat and when you have learned it, it will almost take care of itself.

It is only too true that to refrain from showing affection makes the wife miserable. She does not care for presents or lavish attention; she wants those little tokens such as may be given even in a look, which will prove her husband's love. We wish some of the good things that some men are saving up to say concerning their wives after they are dead could be said now. A man will spend \$25 to buy cut flowers for his dead wife's coffin, when if he spent 25 cents for a bunch of flowers for her when she was alive, she would have fainted. You wait until she is dead and then get some preacher to tell how good she was.

Most men would prefer domestic happiness to great riches.

A young woman in Gibson City, Illinois, has resigned her position as teacher in the public schools for the purpose of going as a missionary to Africa. Why should she go so far when Chicago is so near, and where there are more heathens to the square yard than there are in Africa to the twelve square miles. Strange ideas of missionary these marns have.

Start right, boys. To be anybody to accomplish anything for yourself or the community, you cannot be idle. Don't drink—liquor destroys the mind and body. Don't swear—gentlemen do not. It is low and vulgar. Don't read trash literature. It leads to the devil. Don't hang around saloons. Good men are not made that way. Whenever ever you see a man lying around a saloon the devil is after him and will get him sooner or later.

CORRESPONDENCE.

By our Special News Service.

DEWITT.

Ross Gambrell is in the bark business.

Buck and Brite, who wan't to be jailer, are making things fly.

C. A. Carnes is a very busy man just now—schools, parties, etc.

Will Brewer is looking very pale at present. He is a candidate for trustee.

Pat Baker, in a heat of passion stabbed his uncle, Jas. Walker, last Sunday.

Our leading merchant is black-smithing at times, and he makes things hawl.

Green Lester still follows the same old trade—from home to Moore's creek.

John Lester and John Gambrell enjoyed a good time in Barbourville this week.

J. H. Warren passed through here on the 20th enroute to Clay county on business.

GOOSE CREEK

Black-berries about all gone.

Health of the community was never better.

The storm of last week played havoc with corn and fences.

It is rumored that one of our prettiest and popular young ladies' and a good looking gent of Barbourville are to marry before long.

The Mountain Advocate is a welcome visitor here. Always on time and chuck full of the very latest and best of news. Long live the Advocate and good luck to the editor.

Tom Smith, while helping to separate some geese was bitten on the ankle by an old gander. He left for his home in Barbourville with a badly swollen ankle and a yarn to tell how he got crippled.

PERT.

SCALE.

Rance Hubbard is very low.

J. W. Carnes was in Barbourville Monday.

James Walker was badly cut last Sunday by Pat Baker.

Mrs. Jackson, died of dropsy last Saturday, aged 73 years.

Frank Renfro, of Elys, was here Saturday and Sunday.

Our school is progressing nicely with Grover Hopper, as teacher.

Thos. G. Hammons attended the meeting at the Red Men's hall Saturday night.

MARSHAL'S SALE FOR TAXES.

I, or one of my Deputies will, on the 27th day of July, 1908, at the front door of the Court house, in the city of Barbourville, Ky., between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m., offer at public sale to the highest and best bidder, for cash in hand, the following city property, to-wit:—
One lot in the city of Barbourville, Ky., on Second Street. Bounded on north by Nimrod Nelson's lot, on east by Second St., south by colored school lot, and west by First St. Levied on as the property of Matt Hinkle for the city revenue and city levy due said city of Barbourville by said Matt Hinkle for the year 1905. Said amount being \$23.88, together with the cost of this advertisement and sale.
Given under my hand this 8th day of July, 1908.
W. H. McDONALD,
M. C. B.

Teachers Improvement League.

Providence, Sub. Dist. No. 1.

The citizens met Monday evening, July 20, and after thorough discussion of the new school law by the teachers, the Improvement League, for rural schools was organized with an enrollment of 43 members. Mrs. G. W. Mayhew, president; Mrs. Georgia Haun, Secretary and Treasurer.

Graded School Election Wilt-ton District.

At a regular term of this court, held on the 23d day of June 1908, it appearing that a petition signed 1, A. Forst, 2, Steve Gilliam, 3, C. C. Foree, 4, John Engle, 5, Fred Daniels, 6, Enoch Rogers, 7, Lale Wallace, 8, Frank Goodin, 9, G. D. Bengy, 10, Charley Forst and others was filed with the County Judge, at the last term of this court, asking that a graded Common School District be organized, with its boundary as follows, viz:

Beginning at and including the farm of W. S. Floyd, thence to with and including the farm of J. F. McFarland, S. L. Stanfill, Chas. Woods, Frank Luther Hautman, John Lee, Mary Casey, the John Mitchell farm the John Snyder farm, the Dock Fore farm, the Alvin Barton farm, the Jacob Helton farm, the M. E. Helton farm, the J. A. Barton farm, the Frank Barton farm, the H. M. Green farm, and the farms of M. A. Gray, C. C. Fore and Wm. McBrayer, so as to include all the territory within this circle of farms. This boundary coincides with and includes exactly the same territory that is included now in Common School District No. 19, Knox county and that the site for the schoolhouse of said proposed District be at the point where the schoolhouse of Common School District now stands, which site is certified to be not exceeding two one-half miles from any part of the boundary of the said proposed district; and it appearing also that said petitioners are taxpayers, legal voters and residents of the proposed Graded Common School District and of six Justice's District of this county; and it further appearing that the County Superintendent has endorsed on said petition, his approval of same; and that a majority of the Trustees of each Common School District that will be embraced with in said proposed Graded Common School District in whole or in part, have endorsed their approval on said petition, as provided by law; and that the court being sufficiently advised, orders that D. H. Williams, the Sheriff of this county, be, and is hereby directed to cause a poll to be opened and an election to be held at the schoolhouse in Common School District No. 19, on the 1st day of August 1908, the same being forty days or more after the entry of this order, for the purpose of taking the sense of the legal white voters residing within the boundary of the said proposed Graded Common School District whether there shall be levied and collected an annual tax of twenty-five cents on each one hundred dollars of property value therein, subject to State or county taxation, owned by white persons, and fifty cents of poll tax on each white inhabitant of said proposed Graded Common School District over twenty-one years of age, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a Graded Common School therein as provided in sections 100 to 130 of the Common School Laws.

The officers of election will also cause the legal voters of said proposed Graded Common School District to vote for six persons to be trustees of same, at the earliest day practical.
F. D. Sampson,
Judge of County Court.
NOTICE is hereby given that in obedience to the above order of the County Court of Knox county: I will hold an election at the time and place indicated, from 7 o'clock a. m., till 4 o'clock p. m., for the purpose set out in the said order. Those who may vote, are all white males over twenty-one years old, who have been residents of the proposed Graded Common School District for sixty days, and in the county for six months, and in the State one year, preceding the day of election. (See section, page 107, Acts 1891-2-3.)
Signed D. H. Williams,
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